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CHICAGO, SEPTEMBER, 1870.

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PUTURE numbers of THE ART REVIEW will contain a department especially devoted to the Picture trade of America, representing the interests of this important and rapidly-increasing business, fully, comprehensively, and in all its departments. The condition of the market in Boston, New York. Cincinnati. Chicago, St. Louis, and all other important centers of business, will be carefully prepared by resident correspondents, fully competent for the work. It will also contain announcements of new works, and those soon to appear, price lists, and a large variety of other information of interest and value to publishers, dealers, and purchasers of every description of pictures; devoting attention, also, to the important branch of the business, which includes the manufacture of frames and mouldings.

During the present season the picture trade has been largely affected by the general depression which has included almost every branch of business.

In Chromos, many new ones have been put upon the market since January, and these, in addition to the large numbers previously on sale, have produced ather a discouraging feeling amongst publishers. A few, only, of superior merit, have met with a profitable sale. The majority have not paid the cost of production.

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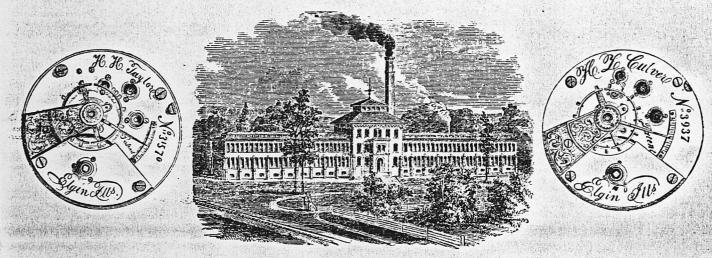
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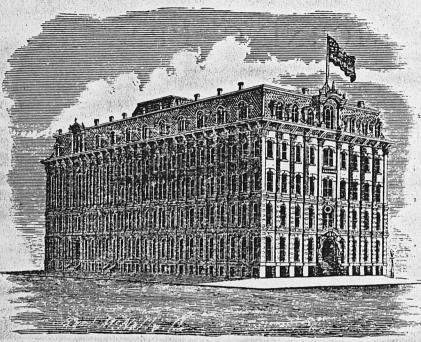
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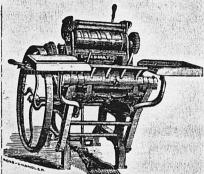
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